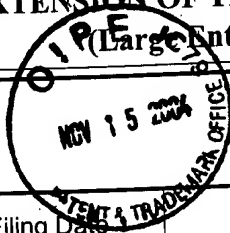


# PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No.  
4296-135 US

In Re Application Of:  
MITSUMOTO et al.



Application No.  
09/828,093

Filing Date  
04/06/2001

Examiner  
MANOHARAN, Virginia

Customer No.  
26817

Group Art Unit  
1764

Confirmation No.  
5491

Invention:

METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF EASILY POLYMERIZABLE SUBSTANCE AND PURIFICATION APPARATUS

## COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of July 12, 2004 above-identified application.  
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month

☐ Two months

☐ Three months

☐ Four months

☐ Five months

from:

October 12, 2004

Date

until:

November 12, 2004

Date

The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

Signature

Dated: November 12, 2004

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